*In this story, Oliver awakens alone on a beach and struggles to remember what happened. Then he hears a strange noise…*

**lentē Oliver evigilavit. in litore erat. “ubi sum...?” rogavit Oliver. mox circumspectavit, sed solus in litore erat. “quid accidit...?” dixit Oliver. “primum in nave eramus, deinde erant piratae, deinde tempestas... heu! ubi est Liamus!” sed Liamus in litore nōn erat. Oliver surrexit et in litore diū cucurrit, sed Liamum nōn vidit. Oliver solus erat, navis parva fracta erat, Liamus fortasse mortuus erat, et piratae Ninam habuerunt. Oliver in litore sedit, nam miser anxiusque erat, et aquam spectavit. “mater,” inquit, “iuvā mē...” sed mater Oliveris mortua erat. sed deinde, subitō, Oliver sonum in silvā audivit! nunc surrexit et ad silvam lentē ambulavit, nam anxius erat. et deinde iterum sonum audivit...**

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| 1st Singular | eram | I was |
| 2nd Singular | eras | you were |
| 3rd Singular | erat | he/she/it was |
| 1st Plural | eramus | we were |
| 2nd Plural | eratis | y’all were |
| 3rd Plural | erant | they were |

**glossary**

**sonus, -i, m. - sound**

**litus, litoris, n.** - beach, shore

**evigilavit <-> dormivit**

**surgo, surgere, surrexi** - to get up

**tempestas -** storm

**fractus, -a, -um** - broken

**fortasse** - maybe

**silva, -ae, f. -** forest